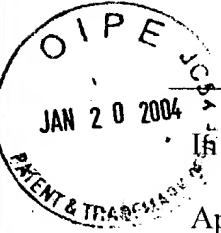


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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby notifies the Patent and Trademark Office that it no longer qualifies for small entity status, and that its claim for small entity status is hereby withdrawn. Applicant's status changed to large entity effective July 12, 2002. Applicant, in good faith, inadvertently failed to notify the Patent and Trademark Office, and requests that its status be retroactively changed to reflect large entity status for all activities after July 12, 2002. Pursuant to §1.28(c), Applicant outlines below all fees it believes to be due as deficiency payment.

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Request For Continued Examination	December 8, 2003	\$385	\$385
Amendment B (additional claims)	December 30, 2003	\$135	\$135
Total Deficiency Payment Owed			\$520

Enclosed is our Check No. 8528 in the amount of \$520 in payment of the total deficiency payment owed.

If it is determined that any additional fees are required to facilitate this change to large entity status, please charge such additional fees to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. RDYNP007).

Respectfully submitted,

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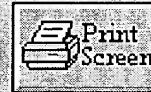
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